The White Family Picture Album

Compiled by Peter White

Forward

This idea for this album came about when photos that our mother had collected and saved were shared among The four remaining White children, Peter, Judy, Jim and Faith. More recently, Faith sent me a collection of older photos that were part of the collection, which featured Mother's parents and grandparents. This got me to thinking that with the collection we now have, it would make a very good pictorial history of our family during our childhood, as well as reaching back a couple of generations, and of course, forward to – more or less – the present time.

Our parents, Louise and John Everett White (aka Paul White), were virtually migratory during our childhood resulting in us kids going to numerous schools and living in a variety of houses across the United States. Easter was the time that Dad often took photos of us kids in various towns and cities, and these feature strongly in this album. The first page is a sort of an historical 'map' of our family's travels from 1942 to about 1978. This should allow the photos that follow to be put into some sort of geographic perspective.

Like any enterprise like this, it can be never ending. This is the first go, if you will, and I hope that all who look at it will send me any relevant photos that would help fill in the gaps, as well as providing more family history to the present generation of children. Who knows? This might be a true historical archive for our family for a long time to come.

Peter White, November 2012

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1952: Laramie WY. One house, one school.

1952-54: Bozeman Montana. One upstairs apartment, three houses. One school. Faith born 1953.

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Grandparents and before



Harriet Augusta Freeman Great-grandmother (Baker) – 1909 Born 1838, died 1919



Stanley Baker (grandpa) – ca 1880 Born 1879, died 1951

Louise Baker's parents



Alice Roberta Holbrook Born 1881, died 1941



Walter Stanley Baker Born 1879, died 1951

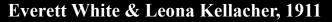
The Baker children



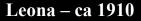
Robert, Alice, Betty and Louise - 1930

Paul White's parents

















Louise & her parents



Stanley, Louise and Alice, 1941 – Concord NH







Paul & dance troupe – late 1930s

Paul - 1942

Paul and Louise



Children of Paul & Louise

The next pages in the album will feature Peter, Jim, Judy, Tim and Faith, the children of Paul and Louise. These photos cover childhood beginning from Peter in 1942 to about 1960. Occasional photos include some of grandfather Baker and other odd shots from that period.





Peter & Dad, Concord. Dad was on leave from the Merchant Marine



Mom and Peter, Concord

Jim and Judy - 1946





Jim -1946 – Vallejo CA

Judy -1946 – Vallejo CA

Jim, Judy & Peter – 1947-48







Jim, Peter & Judy - Vallejo

In Spokane WA: 1948-49



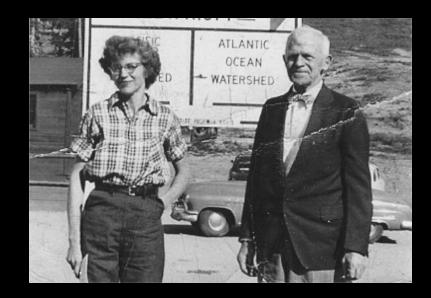
Jim, Peter & Judy, Spokane



Louise, Tim, Judy and Jim, Spokane

In Livingston MT: 1949-50





Louise and the kids, Livingston, 1949 Louise and grandfather at the continental divide, 1949

In Beaver Falls PA: 1949-50





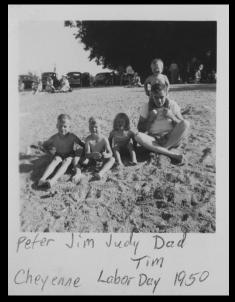
Peter – Beaver Falls, 1950



Tim – Beaver Falls, 1950

The kids – Beaver Falls, 1950

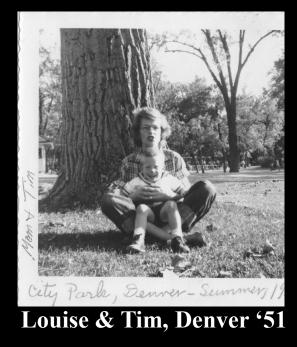
In Cheyenne WY: 1950-51



Recently come from Oberlin, OH



Family + Grandad, 1951

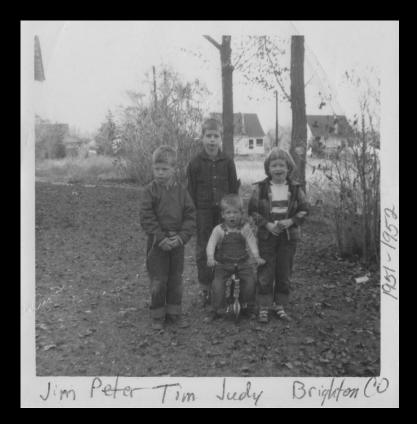


Note: Only one photo from Cheyenne; the other two were taken after leaving Cheyenne and en route to Brighton, CO.

In Brighton CO: 1951-52



Whole family with neighbourhood kids: Brighton CO, 1951-52



The White Children: Brighton CO

In Laramie WY: 1952



Jim, Judy, Peter and Tim: Laramie WY, 1952

In Bozeman MT: 1952-54



Peter, Judy, Jim, Louise, Tim



Judy, Peter, Tim, Dad and baby Faith

Still in Bozeman





Now we are five. Peter, Judy, Faith, Jim & Tim Peter, Jim, Judy & Tim. Jim & Judy's 1st Communion.

Leaving Bozeman, 1954



The family left Bozeman in June 1954. The 1949 Ford station wagon took the family to Arizona and then to Wisconsin

In Wisconsin: 1954-58



Tim, Judy, Paul, Faith, Jim, Peter Madison - 1955 Faith, Tim, Louise, Judy, Jim, Peter Cross Plains - 1957





Mike Shockro, Faith, Judy, Tally, Peter, Jim, Patti Shockro & Tim

Note: This is the last photo I have of all the White kids together.

Afterword

I've ended the photo album here because I have no photos of the family between the last picture in 1960 and 1978. In this time period:

The family moved to Ephrata WA, and Peter went to Gonzaga University and then joined the Navy.

Jim, Judy, Tim and Faith completed high school and went their separate ways.

The family moved a number of times after leaving Ephrata and I have no photos of any of the places the family lived in in this period. A few pictures I have of Paul & Louise and the children will be included in the next volume.

Volume 2 will include photos of the White children and their kids. Any photos people would like to send me – either as a print (which will be returned), or a digital copy (preferably jpegs), would be greatly appreciated.

Peter White, 2012